What is claimed is:

- 1. A hood packed with a facemask, the facemask for being in contact with the perimeter of the face with the first connector means secured to at least one portion of a hood and a second connector means secured to at least a second portion of the hood such that the first and second connector means are compatible.
- 2. A hood packed with a facemask, the facemask for being in contact with the perimeter of the face with a first connector means secured to at least one portion of the facemask and a second connector means secured to at least a second portion of the hood such that the first and second connector means are compatible.

3. (accidentally canceled) A hood packed and a facemask, the facemask for being in contact with the perimeter of the face with a first connector means secured to at least on portion of the facemask and a second connector mean secured to at least a second portion of the facemask such that the first and second connector means are compatible.

4. An integrated hood and facemask, the hood packed with the facemask, the facemask for being in contact with the perimeter of the face with a first connector means secured to at least one portion of a hood and a second connector means secured to at least a second portion of the hood such that the first and second connector means are compatible.

as claims 9 and 10

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5. An integrated hood and facemask, the hood packed with the facemask, the facemask for being in contact with the perimeter of the face with a first connector means secured to at least one portion of the facemask and a second connector means secured to at least a second portion of the hood such that the first and second connector means are compatible.

6. (accidentally canceled) An integrated hood packed and a facemask, the facemask for being in contact with the perimeter of the face with a first connector means secured to at least one portion of the facemask and a second connector means secured to at least a second portion of the facemask such that the first and second connector means are compatible.

- 7. (amended) A hood packed with a facemask, the facemask for being in contact with the perimeter of the face with a first connector means secured to at least on portion of the facemask and a second connector mean secured to at least a second portion of the facemask such that the first and second connector means are compatible.
- 8. (amended) An integrated hood and facemask, the hood packed with the facemask, the facemask for being in contact with the perimeter of the face with a first connector means secured to at least one portion of the facemask and a second connector means secured to at least a second portion of the facemask such that the first and second connector means are compatible.